

Andrew Buchanan's Will.

In the name of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.

Andrew Buchanan (died)

signed sealed and delivered to be the last will and testament of the said Andrew Buchanan in presence of us who have set our names and perhaps set his request.

John Melburn Elizabeth Stephenson James Marsh The foregoing will was given in open court by the oath of John Melburn and James Marsh of the subscribing witnesses thereto and recorded.

Jeremiah Bogart's Will.

In the name of God Amen

Be it remembered that I Jeremiah Bogart of Loudoun County, and State of Tennessee, being sick and weak in body but retaining my mind and memory, make this my last will and testament. First, I commend myself to God and my family and secondly, that my funeral expenses with all my just debts to be paid out of such property as can be best spared from my family - and thirdly, I will that my beloved wife Elizabeth remain on the land and have the control of all the property, to raise and school the children during her widowhood, and should she live till the youngest child comes to the age of twenty one, the property then with the land sold and equally divided between her and my children - But in case she marries it is then my will that all the goods and chattles be sold to the highest bidder, and the money arising therefrom kept at interest, and as the heirs attain to age pay them off till the last one is paid. Then the land sold by a sufficient public notice first being given, and the money equally divided as above. But should my beloved wife Elizabeth not survive the time above anticipated, at her death, all the goods and chattles sold at public sale and retained at interest for the children only so much as may be necessary for schooling, as under the limitation that the law gives to guardians. And lastly, I ordain and appoint my friend John Wright my executor, this 24th day of January A.D. 1837.

Jeremiah Bogart (died)

signed and subscribed in presence of us George Williams Isaac C. Hammer The foregoing will was given in open court by the oath of George Williams and Isaac Hammer. The subscribing witnesses thereto, and recorded.

William Crookshank's Will.

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William Crookshank of the County of Washington and State of Tennessee, being sick and weak in body but retaining my mind and memory, make this my last will and testament in manner and form following, and first of all I commend my soul to God who gave it to me, and that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be paid out of my estate, before this is any division of the same - it is also my will that all my estate, both real and personal, that may be necessary for the benefit of my family, shall be and remain in the hands of my wife, to be used and improved for the support, raising and educating my children, and if necessary for the portioning my new single daughters, and should my executors deem it necessary for the benefit of my family and estate that my negroes be sold, they are hereby authorized at their discretion to sell them and safely loan the purchase money at interest, for the benefit of my family, until my youngest child arrives at the age of twenty-one years. It is also my will that when my single daughters arrive at the age of eighteen years or marry and should desire it, they are to have portions in all my property equal to that already given to my daughter Eliza (now Mrs. Willett) - It is also my will that my beloved wife Sarah Crookshank remain possessor of my dwelling home and other out houses and furniture and all my personal property not disposed of by my executors to be used for the purposes before named, until my youngest child arrives at twenty one years. It is also my will that my aged father George Crookshank remain with my family, and that he be provided with all things necessary for his support and comfort during his natural life, and at his decease be buried in a decent and Christian manner, the expenses to be defrayed out of my estate. - It is my will that when my youngest child arrives at the age of twenty one years, of age, that my lands and all my property both real and personal that may remain, with its increase, be sold to the best advantage and the proceeds of the sale with all the cash that may then belong to my estate be divided amongst my heirs (names) my beloved wife Sarah Crookshank, Samuel Northwood, James and my dear children (to wit) George Campbell Crookshank, Montgomery Henderson Crookshank, Eliza Montgomery Willett, Sarah Keys Crookshank, and Nancy Armi Crookshank to each of them I give and bequeath equal portions, that is share and share alike, and the portions that has or may be given to any of my daughters to be reckoned with my estate and to be deducted from each of their shares - And lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint my trust friends George W. Willett, John Brown, an, and Matthew Stephenson executors of this my last will and testament making and disannulling all former wills by me made, declaring this and this only to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 21st of September 1836.